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CLERK: Yes, you do, Senator.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: I'll withdraw that.

CLERK: Thank you.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Motion is withdrawn. Senator Wehrbein.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: The reason I wanted to pull this, Mr. President and members, this bill is not needed. We discovered that we have, in this bill and also in the mainline bill, a duplication of the wording. And so we don't...we don't need this bill at all. And so the situation is that we should...should kill it. And I guess the way we should do that properly is to strike the enacting clause, so it would all be yes votes to yes to strike the enacting clause. It's a duplication, we don't need it, and it's already in LB 543. That's all it is, simply. We simply don't need the bill.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Wehrbein. Any debate? Senator Wehrbein, you're recognized to close. Senator Wehrbein waives closing. The question is, shall LB 541A be returned to Select File for a specific amendment? Those in favor vote aye; those opposed vote nay. Please record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 39 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to return.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: LB 541A is returned to Select File. Senator Wehrbein, you're recognized to open on your motion to strike the enacting clause.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Mr. President, members, this is what...this simply strikes the enacting clause. Once again, we had a duplicate appropriation and that we don't need this bill at all. And so this is the way...recommended way to kill it. Thank you.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Senator Wehrbein. Senator Chambers, on the motion to strike the enacting clause.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, when you've been in many military campaigns, some of which you